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In re the Application of: Mamoru NAKASUJI et al.

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SYSTEM

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 August 12, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 14, 2005 for 1 month from July 14, 2005 to August 14, 2005.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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